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Superintendent's Compendium
Of Designations, Closures, Permit
Requirements and Other
Restrictions Imposed Under
Discretionary Authority.

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In accordance with regulations and the delegated authority provided in Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations ("36 CFR"), Chapter 1, Parts 1-7, authorized by Title 16 United States Code, Section 3, the following provisions apply to all lands and waters administered by the National Park Service, within the boundaries of Weir Farm National Historic Site. Unless otherwise stated, these regulatory provisions apply in addition to the requirements contained in 36 CFR, Chapter 1, Parts 1-7.

Written determinations, which explain the reasoning behind the Superintendent's use of discretionary authority, as required by Section 1.5(c), appear in this document identified by italicized print.

36 CFR §1.5 – VISITING HOURS, PUBLIC USE LIMITS, CLOSURES, AND AREA DESIGNATIONS FOR SPECIFIC USE OR ACTIVITIES

(a)(1) The following visiting hours and public use limits are established for all or for the listed portions of the Park, and the following closures are established for all or a portion of the Park to all public use or to a certain use or activity:

Visiting Hours:

All Park areas, not otherwise closed to public use, will be open to public use according to a schedule of visiting hours which vary seasonally, as follows:

The Park's grounds are open from sunrise to sunset every day.

The Visitor Center is open from 10:00am to 4:00pm – Thursday through Sunday, April 1 to December 1.

All public buildings are closed in observance of the following federal holidays: New Year's Day (January 1), Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day (December 25).

Guided tours of Weir Farm National Historic Site (Weir House) are offered at 11:00am, 1:00, 2:00 and 3:00pm, Thursday through Sunday, April 1 to December 1, and Closed on January 1st, Thanksgiving Day and December 25th.

Administration offices are open from 8:00am to 5:00pm, Monday through Friday, year round. Administration offices are CLOSED on federal holidays.

Entering or Remaining in the park outside of posted hours is prohibited.

The park, or portions of the park, may be closed at any time for emergency or security reasons in order to protect the welfare of staff and visitors.

Determination: The above visiting hours are based upon a determination that such hours are necessary for the maintenance of public health and safety, the protection of natural and cultural resources, and the implementation of management responsibilities.

Public Use Limits:

All areas of the Park, not otherwise closed to public use, will be open to public use with the following limits that are deemed necessary for safety, security, and resource protection:

Any or all areas may be closed to public use or a special use permit may be cancelled at the discretion of the superintendent or his/her designee when an emergency or potentially hazardous condition exists.

To provide for public safety, all persons and vehicles entering the park are subject to search for explosive or terrorist devices or illegal weapons.

The above public use limits are based upon a determination that such limits are necessary for the maintenance of public health and safety.

The maximum Park capacity shall not exceed 500 visitors at any one time except at the discretion of the Superintendent or his/her designee.

The Park is located in a residential area off of very narrow and winding roads and has limited Parking capacity. The designated Parking area can only hold 18 vehicles and the surrounding fields can only hold an additional 40 vehicles. Offsite Parking is required for large groups and special events that would exceed this onsite Parking capacity. Based on the size of the Park, the sensitivity of the resource and the landscape, the limited Parking capacity, and the other location factors, total visitor capacity of 500 at any one time is in the best interests of resource protection and public safety.

The Parking lot can only accommodate a maximum of 18 cars which includes one accessible Parking spot. There is no Park-related Parking on Nod Hill Road or Pelham Lane.

A maximum of 50 people can occupy the Burlingham Barn at any given time.

A maximum of 350 peop Center.	ole can be accommodated in the garden terrace and field in front of the Visitor
A maximum of _50	people can be accommodated in the Burlingham House Visitor Center.

A maximum of _	_40	_people can be accommodated in the Weir House.
A maximum of _	15	_people can be accommodated in the Weir Studio.
A maximum of _	15	_people can be accommodated in the Young Studio.
A maximum of _	50	_people can be accommodated in the Weir Barn.
A maximum of _	_75	_people can be accommodated in the Burlingham Barn
A maximum of _	25_	_people can be accommodated in the Artist-in-Residence Studio.

A maximum of ____15__people can be accommodated in the Caretakers House.

No food or beverages are permitted in the Visitor Center (Gallery and Exhibit Areas, Young Studio, Weir Studio and Weir House (except existing kitchen space), 250 Old Branchville (Upstairs and gated areas).

Tours of the Weir House, Weir Studio and Young Studio can only be given to groups of 15 people or less at one time. Tours of the Weir House require same-day, in-person registration. Registration is first come, first served.

Determination: The historic building interior has small room sizes and hallways and allowing more people in the building without a reservation would threaten public safety, the historic and cultural resources of the Park, and the orderly management of the Park.

Groups arriving in 3 or more vehicles that wish to visit the Park must contact the Visitor Center in advance to make arrangements for their visit. Groups are limited to 5 vehicles during the week and 3 vehicles on the weekend. There are a limited number of Parking spaces available in the Parking lot. Once these spaces are filled, the Parking lot will be closed. The Parking lot cannot accommodate RVs, buses, or other large vehicles.

Permits are required for the use of a vessel in Weir Pond. See also 36 C.F.R. § 3.3 of this document.

Disorderly persons or groups may be removed from the Park and prevented from returning to the Park on the day they are removed.

One of the Park's primary missions is to provide a safe space to be used and enjoyed by the American people. Disorderly persons or groups who infringe on the use and enjoyment of other Park visitors or threaten the safety of themselves or other visitors will be removed from the Park. Additionally, disorderly activities that are incompatible with the operation of a museum are not permitted. One of the Park's primary missions is to preserve and protect the Park and its museum collections for future generations to enjoy and experience. Any activity that negatively impacts the Park's natural and cultural resources is not permitted. Accordingly the following activities are prohibited:

Closures:

The Park and all of its facilities, including visitor use of the grounds, is closed year-round between sunset and sunrise. No overnight parking or camping is permitted.

The following areas of the Park shall be, for safety and security purposes, closed to all public use:

All construction areas
Caretaker's House
Artist-in-Residence Studio and back deck
Maintenance Shop – Wire Mill
Staff office areas
Burlingham House Kitchen
250 Old Branchville
All driveways

All or portions of the Park may be closed to the public when it is necessary to protect the public from unsafe conditions or to protect Park resources from irreversible damage. Signs will be posted to announce such temporary closures.

The park (other than the designated parking area) is closed to all motorized vehicles unless their operators have received appropriate authority from the Superintendent or his/her representative. This includes mopeds, scooters, and bikes operating under power of a motor. Handicapped visitors are authorized to use motorized wheelchairs or Segways on park paths and trails as needed.

RVs, campers, and vehicles with trailers are prohibited in the Park and cannot be accommodated.

Bicycles are prohibited within the park. All bicycles must be left at the parking lot or other location outside of the park.

The park is closed to the following activities:

- -Swimming and wading
- -Horses and pack animals
- -Climbing over, under or around railings, gates, doors, stanchions and lines, barricades or other physical barriers used to control or limit public access is prohibited.
- -Touching the furnishings or reaching for collections objects in the Visitor Center, Weir House, Weir Studio and Young Studio is prohibited. See also 36 CFR § 2.1.
- -Climbing on gates, fences, structures, stone walls, and vegetation, including trees and garden plantings is prohibited. See also 36 CFR § 2.1.
- -Marking trees, benches, rocks, or structures by inscribing with a sharp instrument or by drawing with ink or paint is prohibited. See also 36 CFR § 2.1.
- -Videography, of any sort, or the use of audio recording devices inside the Weir House, Weir Studio and Young Studio, during times open to public use, is prohibited, except under the provisions of a permit or if for special tours or events it is decided that videography is permitted. This would be the case for press events, openings, photography tours, or other special events.
- -Marking out a playing field for playing organized baseball, football, soccer or similar recreational activities is prohibited, except if authorized by the Superintendent or his/her designee.
- -Media Players, including radios, CD players, MP3 players, televisions, and computers may only be used with headphones. See also 36 CFR § 2.12(a)(1)(ii).
- -Downhill skiing, ice skating, ice hockey, sledding, inner tubing, and tobogganing
- -Any other sport or activity that damage park resources or present public safety hazards
- -The use of Segway personal transporters and similar devices is permitted on all paved surfaces at speeds not exceeding a walking pace. Such mechanized transportation devices are not permitted inside buildings. Segway personal transportation devices are not designed, approved, or marketed as motorized wheelchairs, and are not considered such. Motorized wheelchairs are permitted.

-Camping is prohibited in the park. See also 36 CFR § 2.10 of this document.

Determination: These prohibitions were determined necessary to ensure visitor and staff safety and the preservation of the significant natural, cultural, and historical resources of the park. They are designed to fulfill the Park's mission and to allow for the maintenance and interpretation of its cultural landscape. These prohibited activities have been deemed dangerous to visitor safety and Park resources and/or incomputable with preservation maintenance.

-Launching, landing, or operating an unmanned aircraft from or on lands and waters administered by the National Park Service within the boundaries of Weir Farm National Historic Site is prohibited except as approved in writing by the superintendent.

Definition: The term "unmanned aircraft" means a device that is used or intended to be used for flight in the air without the possibility of direct human intervention from within or on the device, and the associated operational elements and components that are required for the pilot or system operator in command to operate or control the device (such as cameras, sensors, communication links). This term includes all types of devices that meet this definition (e.g. model airplanes, quadrocopters, drones) that are used for any purpose, including recreation or commerce.

Determination: While park managers understand the benefits of limited use of unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) for research, for administrative use, and to provide for the public's safety and welfare, public use of UAS and remote controlled model aircraft for recreational purposes is not a compatible use based upon the purpose of the park's establishment, the protection of scenic values, noise, potential conflicts with wildlife, artists, children's groups, visitors expectation of a rural historic landscape and experience, potential conflict among visitor use activities, and intrusion on other visitor's enjoyment of the park.

(a)(2) The following designations, conditions, and/or restrictions are imposed on the following uses or activities:

<u>Hiking / Walking:</u> Grounds: Cleared areas, mowed lawns, paths and designated hiking trails are available for hiking and walking.

Fishing:

Fishing (catch and release) is permitted at Weir Pond pursuant to State of Connecticut regulations. Pursuant to 36 CFR § 2.14(a)(7), gutting and cleaning of fish is prohibited in the Park.

Painting:

Grounds: Artists and painters are permitted to set up their materials onsite. However, they are prohibited from setting up on historic structures or in locations deemed unsuitable by Park staff like parking lots, in front of the restrooms and on the Weir House House porches. Public areas should be kept clear for visitors and movement of staff vehicles. Brushes and other art related items cannot be cleaned or left onsite.

Photography:

Grounds: Photographers are permitted to set up their materials (tripods, umbrellas,etc.) on site. However, they are prohibited from setting up on historic structures or in locations deemed unsuitable by Park staff. Public areas should be kept clear for visitors and movement of staff vehicles. Any commercial photography or use of models requires a permit.

Interiors spaces: Flash photography inside the Weir House, Weir Studio and Young Studio is prohibited.

Picnicking:

Grounds: Picnicking is permitted only on mowed lawns. No tables or trash facilities are available onsite. All trash must be packed out.

The following restrictions and/or conditions are in effect for the specific uses or activities noted:

Passenger Carrying Busses:

No Parking is available for buses in the Parking lot; it was not designed to allow these buses to turn around and the narrow neighborhood roads cannot accommodate commercial coach buses. All buses will have to make arrangements to Park elsewhere or be directed to designated prearranged offsite parking areas by Park staff.

36 CFR §1.6 - ACTIVITIES THAT REQUIRE A PERMIT

The Superintendent will act upon a permit request within 4 days of receiving a complete permit application. Accordingly, permit applications must be received at least 4 days before the anticipated activity. Permit applications must be accompanied by a non-refundable application fee, except for First Amendment demonstration permit applications. The decision on whether or not to issue a permit will be made on a case-by-case basis. Additional use and monitoring fees may be charged in accordance with established policy and procedures.

Permit requests should be sent to:

Weir Farm National Historic Site Attn. Cassie Werne 735 Nod Hill Road Wilton, CT 06897 cassie_werne@nps.gov

Phone: 203-834-1896 Fax: 203-834-2421

The Permittee shall be responsible for paying the cost of preparing the Permit, for all additional costs incurred in monitoring the event and for any maintenance costs arising from it. The Superintendent may deny or cancel any Special Use Permit application for visitor protection or if staffing is insufficient to monitor the event. Fees collected by the Park prior to cancellation would be nonrefundable in such a case. Activities protected by the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States are exempt from this provision, but the Superintendent may deny a Special Use Permit for such activities if there is a prior reservation for the place and time requested.

No Special Use Permit will allow advertising, collection of fees by the Permittee on Park premises, or acceptance of donations. No food or drink may be vended by the Permittee.

The permit holder of a special event permit requiring power, equipment, furniture, or other items must provide their own materials and transportation for those materials. No permanent structures may be constructed.

The permit holder is responsible for cleaning the special event area upon completion of the event.

The Superintendent or his/her agency may cancel a Permit for violation of the above conditions. Activities requiring a permit are listed throughout this document under the specific 36 CFR Section that authorizes or requires the issuance of a permit. Pursuant to § 1.6(f) the following is a compilation of those activities for which a permit from the Superintendent may be required:

Preservation of Natural, Cultural and Archeological Resources - 36 CFR 2.1 Audio Disturbances - 36 CFR 2.12 Fires - 36 CFR 2.13 Horses and Pack Animals - 36 CFR 2.16 Smoking – **36 CFR 2.21** Fishing - **36 CFR 2.3** Explosives - 36 CFR 2.38 (a) Carrying or Possessing a Trap or Net – 36 CFR 2.4 (d) Special Events - 36 CFR 2.50 (a) 60 Research Specimens - 36 CFR Public Assemblies and Meetings – 36 CFR 2.51 (a) Distribution of Printed Matter - 36 CFR 2.52 (a) Livestock Use - 36 CFR 2.60 Residing on Federal Lands - 36 CFR 2.61 (a) Memorialization - 36 CFR 2.62 (b) Advertisements – 36 CFR 5.1 Commercial Photography - 36 CFR 5.5 (a) & (b) Commercial Filming - 36 CFR 5.5 (a) & (b) Commercial Vehicles - 36 CFR 5.6

36 CFR §2.1 – PRESERVATION OF NATURAL, CULTURAL AND ARCHEOLOGICAL RESOURCES

(a)(4) Dead wood on the ground may be collected for use as fuel for campfires within the Park in the following areas:

Collection of any wood anywhere in the Park is prohibited.

(a)(5) The following conditions are in effect for walking, climbing, entering, ascending or traversing the listed archeological or cultural resource:

All visitor access within Weir Farm National Historic Site is restricted to open lawns, public walkways, paths, trails, mowed areas, hallways, stairways, and landings.

- (a)(7) Possessing or using a mineral or metal detector, magnetometer, side scan sonar, other metal detecting device, or sub bottom profiler is prohibited.
- (b) Hiking or pedestrian traffic is restricted as described in Section 1.5 of this document.

Pedestrians are not limited to specific routes on the cultural landscape (lawn and field areas around the Burlingham Complex and Weir Complex). Pedestrians are directed to not walk in the roadways including Nod Hill Road and Pelham Lane for safety reasons.

(c)(1), (c)(2) The following fruits, nuts, berries or unoccupied seashells may be gathered by hand for personal use or consumption, in accordance with the noted size, quantity, collection sites and/or use or consumption restrictions:

The collection of apples, berries, garden flowers, nuts, mushrooms, or other such plants and animals is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.2 - WILDLIFE PROTECTION

- (a)(1) The taking of wildlife is prohibited.
- (b) Hunting and trapping is prohibited.
- (c) The transporting of lawfully taken wildlife through the Park is permitted under the following conditions and procedures:

It is prohibited to transport any lawfully or unlawfully taken wildlife through the Park.

(d) The following areas are closed to the viewing of wildlife with the use of an artificial light:

Viewing of wildlife with an artificial light is prohibited in all areas of the Park except through a Special Use Permit.

36 CFR §2.3 - FISHING

(a) The following State fishing laws and/or regulations, as noted, do not apply in the listed areas:

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 1.5 of this document, fishing is permitted at Weir Pond pursuant to State of Connecticut regulations.

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 2.14(a)(7), gutting and cleaning of fish is prohibited in the Park.

36 CFR §2.4 - WEAPONS, TRAPS, AND NETS

(a)(2)(i) Weapons, traps, or nets may only be carried, possessed or used at the following designated times and locations:

Pursuant to 18 USC § 930, firearms are prohibited in federal facilities. Signage prohibiting firearms in federal facilities is posted at the park entrance. The federal facilities with the highest visitor use are marked with signs at public entrances.

Pursuant to 16 USC § 1a-7b, park visitors may carry firearms in the Park if they are otherwise in compliance with federal, state, and local laws.

Weapons cannot be used in the Park except by authorized federal, state, or local law enforcement officers in the performance of their official duties.

Traps and nets are prohibited except as permitted by the Superintendent or his/her designee.

36 CFR §2.5 – RESEARCH SPECIMENS

(a) Taking plants, fish, wildlife, rocks or minerals is prohibited except in accordance with other regulations of Chapter I of 36 CFR or pursuant to the terms and conditions of a specimen collection permit.

36 CFR §2.10 – CAMPING and FOOD STORAGE

(a) Camping and food storage in any area of the Park is prohibited except as permitted by the Superintendent or his/her designee.

36 CFR §2.11 - PICNICKING

Picnicking is restricted to open and mowed lawns. It is prohibited to leave picnicking items unattended at any time. Picnicking on the porches of the Burlingham and Weir historic houses cannot prevent other visitors from enjoying the same spaces.

Picnicking must be done on a "pack in, pack out" basis. All picnickers must pack up and carry out all their garbage and recyclables.

36 CFR §2.12 – Audio Disturbances

Under § 2.12 (a) the following are prohibited:

- (1) Operating motorized equipment, machinery, audio device, or musical instrument in a manner that makes unreasonable noise.
- (2) Operating a power saw in developed areas is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.
- (3) Operating any type of portable motor or engine, or device powered by a portable motor or engine in non-developed areas is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.
- (4) Operating a public address system is prohibited, except in connection with a public gathering or special event for which a permit has been issued pursuant to §§ 2.50 or 2.51

36 CFR §2.13 - FIRES

(a)(1) The lighting or maintaining of fires is prohibited. There are no areas and/or receptacles in the park where fires are allowed.

36 CFR §2.14 - SANITATION and REFUSE

- (a)(2) Using park refuse receptacles or facilities for dumping household, commercial or industrial refuse is prohibited.
- (b) Conditions for the disposal, containerization, or carryout of human body waste have been established as follows:

Disposal of human waste is prohibited within park boundaries All refuse must be carried out and disposed of off site.

36 CFR §2.15 - PETS

(a)(1) Possessing pets in public buildings, public transportation vehicles, swimming beaches, and the following structures and/or areas is prohibited:

Pets are not allowed in federal facilities.

This restriction does not apply to service animals. The NPS will use the same definition of service animal currently found in DOJ regulations 28 CFR 363104 and will not rely on 36 CFR 2.15. Service animals will be allowed wherever visitors or employees are allowed when accompanying a person with a disability.

- (a)(2) Failing to crate, cage, or restrain on a leash a pet is prohibited.
- (a)(3) Leaving a pet unattended and tied to an object is prohibited.
- (a)(5) Pet excrement must be disposed of in accordance with the following conditions:

Pet owners must pick up and dispose of pet waste

36 CFR §2.16 - Horses and Pack Animals

The following portions of the Park are closed to horses and pack animals:

The use of horses and pack animals in the park is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.17 – AIRCRAFT and AIR DELIVERY

(c)(1) The removal of a downed aircraft, components, or parts thereof is subject to procedures established by the Superintendent through written authorization.

36 CFR §2.18 – SNOWMOBILES

(c) The use of snowmobiles is prohibited

36 CFR §2.19 – WINTER ACTIVITIES

- (a) Downhill skiing, ice skating, ice hockey, sledding, inner-tubing, tobogganing, and similar winter sports are prohibited in the park.
- (b) The towing of persons on skis, sleds, or other similar devices by motor vehicle or snowmobile is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.20 – SKATING, SKATEBOARDS and SIMILAR DEVICES

Using roller skates, skateboards, roller skis, coasting vehicles, or similar devices is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.21 - SMOKING

There is no smoking in all government and government leased buildings and government vehicles.

Smoking is permitted only in the following designated areas:

- (a) Grounds: There is no smoking in the Park within 25 feet of a building. 36 CFR §2.21 SMOKING
- (b) The Visitor and Employee Parking Lots are designated employee smoking areas.

36 CFR §2.22 - PROPERTY

(a)(2) Leaving property unattended for periods longer than 24 hours is prohibited, except with the permission of the Superintendent.

36 CFR §2.23 - RECREATION FEES

(b) Recreation fees, and/or a permit, in accordance with 36 CFR part 71, are established for the following entrance fee areas, and/or for the use of the following specialized sites, facilities, equipment or services, or for participation in the following group activity, recreation events or specialized recreation uses:

Entrance Fee Areas:

There are no recreation fees for Weir Farm National Historic Site.

Daily Site Use Fee Areas:

 Weir Farm National Historic Site has no daily use fees apart from those which fall under the Special Use Permit.

<u>Special Recreation Permit Fee (Such as but not limited to, group activities, recreation and land use</u> events, photography, and the use of motorized recreation vehicles):

- Special Use Permit Application Fee \$50
- Land use for parades, rallies, ceremonies, celebrations, pageants

36 CFR §2.35 – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

(a)(3)(i) The following areas and facilities within the Park are closed to consumption of alcoholic beverages, and/or to the possession of a bottle, can or other receptacle containing an alcoholic beverage that is open, or has been opened, or whose seal has been broken or the contents of which have been partially removed:

The entire Park is closed to the possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages, except pursuant to a special use permit.

Determination: The Park is closed to alcohol consumption because such activity is inappropriate considering the other uses of the Park and the purpose for which the Park was established and is maintained.

36 CFR §2.37 - NONCOMMERCIAL SOLICITING

Soliciting or demanding gifts, money, goods or services is prohibited except pursuant to the terms and conditions or a permit that has been issued under §2.50, §2.51, or §2.52.

36 CFR §2.38 - EXPLOSIVES

- (a) Using, possessing, storing, or transporting explosives, blasting agents or explosive materials is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.
- (b) Using, or possessing fireworks and firecrackers is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.50 - SPECIAL EVENTS

(a) Pageants, public spectator attractions, entertainments, ceremonies, and similar events are allowed, provided there is a meaningful association between the Park area and the events, and the observance contributes to visitor understanding of the significance of the Park area, and a permit therefore has been issued by the Superintendent.

36 CFR §2.51 -- DEMONSTRATIONS

- (b) Demonstration and First Amendment Activities are allowed within designated Park areas when the Superintendent has issued a permit for the activity.
- (c)(2) The following locations are designated as available for demonstrations:

In the grassy area to the south of the visitor parking lot on the east side of Nod Hill Road.

36 CFR §2.52 -- SALE OR DISTRIBUTION OF PRINTED MATTER

(b) The sale or distribution of printed matter by 25 people or less is allowed within the Park areas designated as available under §2.51(c)(2) (see above). The sale or distribution of printed matter by more than 25 persons is allowed within designated Park areas when the Superintendent has issued a permit.

36 CFR §2.60 – Livestock Use and Agriculture

(a)(3) Livestock use and agriculture are permitted by the Superintendent if it is determined necessary and an integral part of a recreational activity or required in order to maintain a historic/cultural scene.

36 CFR §2.61 – RESIDING ON FEDERAL LANDS

(a) Residing in Park areas, other than on privately owned lands, is prohibited except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit or cooperative agreement issued by the Superintendent.

36 CFR §2.62 – MEMORIALIZATION

(b) A permit is required for the scattering of ashes from cremated human remains in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

The remains to be scattered must have been cremated and pulverized.

The scattering of remains by persons on the ground is to be performed at least 100 yards from any trail, road, developed facility, or body of water.

No scattering of remains from the air is to be performed over developed areas, facilities, or bodies of water.

36 CFR §3.3 - VESSEL PERMITS

Permits are required for the use of a vessel in Weir Pond. See also 36 C.F.R. § 3.3 of this document.

36 CFR §3.16 – SWIMMING AND WADING

Swimming or wading is prohibited. See 36 CFR §1.5 of this document.

36 CFR §4.2 – STATE LAW APPLICABLE

- (a) Unless specifically addressed by regulations in this chapter, traffic and the use of vehicles within a park area are governed by State law. State law is now or may later be in effect is adopted and made a part of the regulations in this part.
- (b) Violating a provision of State law is prohibited.

36 CFR §4.11 - VEHICLE LOAD, WEIGHT AND SIZE LIMITS

- (a) The following load, weight and size limits, which are more restrictive than State law, apply to the roads indicated under the terms and conditions, and/or under permit as noted:
 - N/A

36 CFR §4.21 - SPEED LIMITS

(b) The following speed limits are established for the routes/roads indicated: N/A

36 CFR §4.30 - BICYCLES

- (a) The use of a bicycle is permitted on park roads and in parking areas that are otherwise open for motor vehicle use by the general public. These roads include:
 - -Visitor Parking Lot
- (b) Bicycle use is permitted on the following administrative roads: N/A
- (d)(3) Riding a bicycle abreast of another rider is not allowed in the park.

36 CFR §4.31 – HITCHHIKING

Hitchhiking or soliciting transportation is prohibited.

36 CFR §5.1 – ADVERTISEMENTS

Commercial notices or advertisements shall not be displayed, posted, or distributed on federally owned or controlled lands within a Park area unless prior written permission has been given by the Superintendent.

36 CFR §5.3 – BUSINESS OPERATIONS

Engaging in or soliciting any business in park areas requires a permit, contract or other written agreement with the United States, or must be specifically authorized under special regulations.

36 CFR §5.5 - COMMERCIAL FILMING & STILL PHOTOGRAPHY

(a) Before any motion picture may be filmed or any television production or sound track may be made by any person other than bona fide newsreel or news television personnel, written permission must first be obtained from the Superintendent. (b)Taking photographs of any vehicle or other articles of commerce or models for the purpose of commercial advertising without a written permit from the Superintendent is prohibited.

36 CFR §5.6 - COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

(b) & (c) Using commercial vehicles on government roads within Park areas when such use is in no way connected with the operation of the Park is generally prohibited, and requires permission or a permit from the Superintendent.

36 CFR §5.7 - CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS OR OTHER FACILITIES

Such activities, including tents, canopies, and other ground penetration, are prohibited, except in accordance with the provisions of a valid permit, contract, or other written agreement with the United States.